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News Capsules

Atty. Alfred W. Fuller, chairman of the Zoning Board of Appeals, has submitted his resignation to the Selectmen effective Jan. 30. He has been a member of the quasi-judicial body for approximately 12 years.

The chairman of the Board of Selectmen Philip K. Allen could not be at Monday's meeting, but he sent a letter ahead which praised Fuller for his long years of work in the unpaid position.

The question of a replacement will not be considered until the Selectmen's next meeting. Sidney P. White indicated Monday that he has someone to suggest for membership on the zoning board, but Roger Collins and Robert A. Watters indicated that they want the full board to sit in on discussion of an appointment, one for which the Selectmen are responsible.

Raytheon Company has been awarded an additional \$11,561,095 contract for advanced development work on the SAM-D (Surface-to-Air Missile - Development) Program. The contract was awarded by the U. S. Army Missile Command, Redstone Arsenal, Ala. Work on the contract will be done at the company's missile systems division at Bedford.

Richard S. Leghorn, president of Andover's DASA Corp., has been named chairman of the board of Science & Engineering Institute
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MHL Blaze Investigated

There was a small fire of suspicious origin at Memorial Hall Library early Thursday evening, in behind one of the stacks where a match or cigarette was apparently disposed of carelessly or deliberately. Bits of paper caught fire.

The minor blaze was extinguished by a library page and monitor and the fire department notified.

The fire department report, following investigation by the State Fire Marshall's office, reads, "possible arson or possible prank." No suspects have been discovered, however, and patrons at the library during the incident were unable to supply any information.

William Stickland was the page and John Lambert the monitor who extinguished the fire. Ronald B. Hubbs, assistant director at MHL, said afterward that if it had not been for the prompt action of these two employees, serious damage could have resulted.



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DEBRIS FROM THE RAZING of a frame house on Chestnut Street, just East of Main Street, is removed in anticipation of eventual development by a group including Joseph B. Doherty of Andover and Arthur Poisson of Florida, a former Andover resident. A second residence purchased by the group, adjacent to the old Andover Press building, will be left standing until plans for use of the some 28,000 sq. ft. in both properties are fully developed and firm commitments made with future tenants. Doherty said this week that the investors are testing the demand for good retail outlets at the location as well as considering including some office space. (Cole)

Political Football

AHS Playfields Furor Is Reactivated

Students at the new senior high school will eventually romp on the acres of playfields laid out to provide space for football, baseball, tennis and other outdoor activity. Between now and then, however, public officials seem destined to shed additional blood, sweat and tears.

The fields have been a headache for Town Manager Richard Bowen and the building committee ever since they had their first difficulties with the grounds contractor over the quality of his work and his initial failure to meet contract specifications. Particularly vocal criticism has fallen

on their heads from Donald Dunn, director of physical education for the public schools and School Committee member William Doherty, who charge that the fields are rocky and uneven.

For some months everyone involved has admitted that the fields are less than perfect. Manager Bowen and the building committee, however, have decided that the outdoor play areas are not so imperfect as those on the other side

of the controversy claim. The manager's response to this belief has been to include money in the park department budget for this year for town-managed improvements to the fields, particularly those laid out for football and baseball.

This action is regarded as inaction by Doherty and School Committee member Frederick Fitzgerald who last week persuaded a School Committee majority that the board should ask the Selectmen to insert a special article in the warrant for March requesting \$100,000 for work on the fields. (Chairman Louis Galbiati joined Doherty and Fitzgerald to support the request, Virginia H. Cole voted against it and Dr. Richard Katz abstained.)

This the Selectmen have agreed to do, over the protests of Manager Bowen. The board has not endorsed the idea of spending \$100,000 on the playfields, but three of the Select-

Private Carriers Respond

Two Express Interest In GL Franchise

Two of five New England carriers contacted by Mayor Daniel Kiley of Lawrence in an attempt to find a private-company solution to bus transportation problems in Greater Lawrence are interested in a franchise and Michael Bus Co. of Salem is actively pursuing approval of its bid for the intra and inter city routes involved.

Communities in this area are pressed to find a private carrier to take on bus transportation in Greater Lawrence, or get involved with subsidizing bus as well as rail operations of the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority into this area. The MBTA intends to acquire the Massachusetts Street Railway Co., which operates present GL bus routes, within about a month.

Contacted by the TOWNSMAN, J. Alexander Michaud, president of the company, said he has already met with Mayor Kiley and is preparing a prospectus for presentation to officials of Andover, Lawrence, Methuen and North Andover.

Said Michaud: "We are tremendously interested in going in to help solve your transportation problems . . . and we have the equipment to move in tomorrow."

Also expressing interest in a franchise is Kenneth Hudson, president of Hudson Bus Line, Medford. Hudson said in telephone interview that his company wants to sit in on any meetings held to discuss the future of bus transportation in Greater Lawrence and that he is interested in a franchise covering all or part of the potential business.

Three other carriers indicate that they do not intend to compete for a franchise. John W. Appleyard Sr. of Appleyard Bus Co. in Methuen said that he is not interested and that he has reported this fact to Mayor Kiley. Paul M. Seretto of Turner Motor Coach Service Inc. in Fitchburg said that he has not replied to Mayor Kiley's letter because his company is strictly in the charter business
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Candidate Countdown

By noon Wednesday, just two and one half days from the deadline for filing nomination papers, the following residents had indicated their intention of seeking public office in the municipal election next month:

For Selectmen
Roger Collins, 50 Maple Ave., incumbent.
William Stewart, 63 High Plain Rd., incumbent.
Benjamin Brown, 50 Whittier St.

School Committee
Virginia H. (Mrs. Milton R.) Cole, 268 Highland Rd., incumbent.
William F. King, Harold Parker Rd.
Joseph Ganem, 16 Westwind Rd.

Dr. Albert J. Greenberg, 123 North St.
Irving L. Newman, 133 Lovejoy Rd.

Moderator
Arthur Williams, 149 Haverhill St., incumbent.
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School Committeewoman Seeks March Re-Election

Mrs. R. Milton Cole, 268 Highland Rd., an Oberlin College graduate and homemaker, has announced that she will seek re-election to the Andover School Committee.

Since coming to Andover in 1952, Mrs. Cole has been active in community affairs. She was a member of the town's recreation committee, a past president and board member of the League of Women Voters, and a member of the Parent's League, the social relations committee of Christ Episcopal Church, Andover Citizens for Equal Opportunities and of the 1964 budget committee of the Greater Lawrence United Fund.

She was instrumental in organizing the Andover American Field Service chapter and was a member of its executive committee. She was also on the Educational Conference Committee.

The wife of R. Milton Cole, Cole Paint, Wallpaper & Hardware Inc., Mrs. Cole is the former Virginia Hetherington, daughter of a prominent New York State educator.



Virginia H. Cole

She holds a bachelor of arts degree from Oberlin College and prior to her marriage, worked as a personnel secretary in New York City.

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In order to qualify for 1967 CASH refunds, all 1967 sales slips must be returned to the CO-OP no later than next Wednesday, January 31.

During January the office staff has been busy checking the slips for accuracy. During February the auditors will be going over the store's accounts in order to determine our earnings and taxes for the past year.

The ANDOVER CO-OP has always paid a 5% dividend on the shares of stock. Far more important to our patrons are our substantial refunds in cash on all purchases made during the previous year. Most of these refunds are paid to the citizens of Andover so all of us benefit.

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The Coles have three daughters all of whom have been educated in Andover public schools.

As a member of the School Committee since 1965, Mrs. Cole served with the sub-committee on collective bargaining which last year negotiated successfully the first contract signed with local teachers under the terms of a new state law permitting municipal employees to unionize. She was a member of the sub-committee on more equitable pay and working conditions for guidance counselors and department heads, and she was appointed to handle liaison between the School Committee and PTA's.

AHS PLAYFIELDS

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men (Roger Collins, William Stewart and Sidney P. White) decided Monday that voters should have an opportunity to "thrash" it out on the floor of Town Meeting. Vice Chairman Robert Watters, on the other hand, agreed with Manager Bowen that if there is to be such an article, it should be sponsored by the high school building committee, not the School Committee. Chairman Philip K. Allen, who was out of town Monday, missed the debate.

With its move for Town Meeting action, the School Committee has in effect rejected the playing fields even though the building committee has yet to present them for acceptance - or rejection.

Manager Richard Bowen traced the history of the playfields this week, in order to explain his present position. Things went as follows:

* The architectural firm in charge of sub-let supervision of grounds work.

* Rough work was done on the fields early in the construction procedure by George Brox.

* Bids were taken twice for seeding and loaming and the contract finally awarded to MoDel with the agreement that if additional loam was needed, it would be supplied for \$4 a cubic yard.

* When it developed that additional material could be needed, the manager made arrangements to trade gravel from the school site for loam from the site for the Internal Revenue Service Center on Lowell Street. The town paid for loading and trucking this material, but not for the loam itself. The building committee estimates that it saved \$50,000 to \$70,000 in this transaction.

* Having lost out on the loam business, MoDel complained about the quality of material he was given to work with. Supervising engineers and the architects all agreed, however, that though the loam was not of top quality, it was satisfactory.

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* The contractor did his final work on the site during the height of the drought, and even though the town pumped water from Shaw-shen River to stimulate growth of a cover, the seeding proved unsatisfactory. Meanwhile the building committee expressed its dissatisfaction with the quality of MoDel's work in general. MoDel made improvements.

* Under pressure, MoDel did additional work at the site which was inspected by a landscape architectural company and found to be in accord with specifications. Their conclusion: given proper care, the fields would be OK.

* Meanwhile Manager Richard Bowen had two soil experts from Essex Agricultural and Technical Institute look at the fields. It was their opinion that it would probably prove impossible to get grass cover on the football field or the two baseball fields, which represents about half the gross area. They recommended that these fields be redone.

Bowen says he consulted with Highway Supt. Stanley Chlebowski at this point to see if he thought his park department workers could put these areas in shape and received an affirmative answer.

Bowen's present feeling is that "Before we get involved with spending tens of thousands of dollars, why not give this (present plan) a good try?" He says the football field should be ready for fall, though there could be a longer wait for the baseball diamonds.

If the town fails to bring the fields to acceptable standards, says Bowen, all we have lost is time - not \$80,000 or \$100,000.

But time is just what the contractors are worried about. They want the work contracted.

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and that he doesn't feel it could give the kind of service communities here are seeking.

The president of the fifth carrier on Mayor Kiley's list said Wednesday that he has not received an inquiry from Lawrence, but that his company, Short Line Bus Co. of Providence, R. I., lacks interest in the idea of a franchise here because it is so far from the area of its present operations.

Reporting that his company has been operating at a profit in Haverhill (without raising fares) for the past three years, Alexander Michaud said that Michaud Bus went in there after Eastern Mass. Railway "abandoned" that community and after others had tried and failed to satisfy the public or make a profit. "We have set up a pattern in Haverhill that is a model for the Merrimack Valley," he said.

Michaud says his company will present a plan for Greater Lawrence that will not cost taxpayers "one single dime." "This having to subsidize public transportation is for the birds. The people who think we need to subsidize are picking the people's pockets," he added.

At present MBTA acquisition of Eastern is being delayed, pending approval of a federal grant to help finance rapid transit lines to the South Shore along with purchase of the bus company. Washington was pressured to hold off on the grant until communities

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The break was discovered by Officer Gordon E. Douglass while he was on cruiser duty. He later entered the shop with owner Robert Gigis where they discovered 37 cents on the floor, and \$4 in the cash register. Missing was the better part of the \$25 Gigis had left in the register as a supply of change for the next day's business.

outside the MBTA district could determine what implications the bus company take-over would have for them.

It has been estimated that deficits for the Greater Lawrence operation would run about \$300,000. Andover share: Some \$17,000.

War Protest Organization For McCarthy

Nomination papers for Sen. Eugene J. McCarthy were distributed at the meeting of the Greater Lawrence Citizens Against the War in Vietnam Wednesday evening at the Memorial Hall library. Democrats, Independents and Republicans for Peace were invited to attend the meeting to hear how they can help in the nomination of Sen. McCarthy as a Democratic candidate for President of the United States. Mrs. Dudley Fitts explained what local citizens can do in the McCarthy campaign and also how they can help with fund raising in this area.

Sen. McCarthy will be in Boston today at 11 South St. from three to four in the afternoon for the formal opening of state headquarters and for a press conference. The meeting is open to the public.

AYC Programs Are Announced

A program offering for first and second grade boys and girls has been introduced in the AYC winter term program, just started. Fitness classes are available which include instruction in basic game skills, coordination and fitness training. The boys class is on Saturdays at 9 a.m. and the girls, on Tuesdays at 4:30 p.m.

Children of any age may also participate in a mother-daughter fun swim on Mondays at 6:45 or father-son fun swim on Thursdays at 6:45 p.m. A ballet class on Wednesdays at 3:30 is open to six and seven year old girls. Children three to six years of age may enroll for Morning Tiny Tot programs: Tiny Tot Gym Tuesday 9:45 a.m., Tiny Tot Ballet Wednesday 10 a.m., Tiny Tot Acrobatics Thursday 10 a.m. Nursery service is available for tots Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays mornings.



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Candidates Take Notice

Candidates who wish to make official announcement in the TOWNSMAN of their intention to seek public office in the municipal elections on March 4, will have until the week of Feb. 5 to submit such announcements for publication.

Candidates will not be permitted to announce their candidacy in the news columns of the paper after the issue of Feb. 8, three weeks prior to the election. Copy for that week should be submitted to our offices no later than Feb. 5.

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The Lawrence School Committee has taken a policy position on the subject of drug misuse. Students thought to be under the influence of drugs, without medical supervision, will be taken to a hospital for examination. Students found in possession of drugs on campus will be suspended immediately.

The Andover Community Action Council has elected Mrs. Frederic A. Pease Jr. chairman for the current year and Elmer Ober, vice chairman in charge of membership. Mrs. Michael Gravalles was elected secretary.

The Council is discussing the possibility of a day care center in Andover and considering a survey to determine need.

Joe Ristuccia of Phillips Academy has been named one of the Top Ten high school football players in the country in the 1967 Prep All-America Football contest sponsored by Roy Royal Crown Cola Co. and Coach & Athlete Magazine.

Athletes from around the country were nominated in a nationwide poll of sportswriters and high school coaches on the basis of football ability, character and sportsmanship, scholarship and participation in school activities.

Andover is among communities which will benefit from the Attorney General's recovery of \$161,000 in damages in the three year old Rock Salt Case.

The case, settled prior to trial, was brought by the Commonwealth against Morton Salt Co., International Salt Co. and Diamond Crystal Salt Co. for price fixing. The town manager does not yet know what Andover's share of the settlement will be.

Thomas Mofford of Andover has joined the reference staff at Memorial Hall Library, working the evening shift. A history teacher in Reading High School, Mofford is a graduate of Tufts University. He taught in Japan and Puerto Rico before coming to Andover.

The State Board of Education has appointed a 15-man task force, recruited from leadership in both education and labor, to improve the state's collective bargaining law for teachers, passed in 1965. The task force, representing school committees, teachers' unions, mediation boards, school

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administrations and the state Labor Relations Commission, is the State Board's response to requests from school boards, including Andover, for help with bargaining problems.

Friendly Ice Cream Corp., which operates a restaurant in Andover, recorded a 21% increase in sales during 1967. This was the 22nd consecutive year that sales increased by at least 20% or more over the previous 12 month period. The chain has 156 stores in New England, New York and New Jersey and will open another 30 in 1968.

Corporators of the North Shore Babies' and Children's Hospital have announced a change in the Hospital's name to the North Shore Children's Hospital. The change, reflecting the growth and widened scope of services, was effected to more accurately describe the hospital's activities. It is the third change during the hospital's 64 years of service.

Church Panel Will Discuss Drug Problem

The social action committee of the South Church Women's Fellowship reports that it has scheduled a panel discussion - "Narcotics: Making Their Presence Felt" - for Thursday, Feb. 15 at 8 p.m. in the church.

Rev. J. Everett Bodge, South Church pastor, will be the moderator. On the panel will be the following: William Shibley Elias MD, of Lawrence; Miss Margaret Parker of the Massachusetts Department of Public Welfare; Sgt. Inspector Robert Deyermund of the Andover Police Department; Charles Q. Adams, assistant principal, Andover High School; and Rev. James R. Whyte, Phillips Academy.

The discussion is open to the general public.

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The 94-year-old company is a leading manufacturer of paper and textile finishing machinery, cotton and paper filled calendaring rolls and Mullen testers for measuring the bursting strength of paper and other materials. Perkins and Standard's Roehlen division manu-

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Ladies of Merrimack College fashion show.

According to Mrs. James Forma of Andover, program chairman, an exciting program will be presented at the Sheraton Rolling Green, Saturday, March 9. The fashion show luncheon will highlight the mood for a change for fashions coordinated by Mrs. Merle Frank, of Lawrence. Mrs. Samuel Seccareccio of Lawrence is co-chairman of the event.

The excitement of the new shape, the new length and the gay new element of contemporary fashions for the spring of 1968 will be presented to the Ladies of Merrimack and their guests.

Mrs. Forma announces that invitations will be accepted from members of the Ladies of Merrimack through Jan. 30. A limited number of reservations will be made available to the public in February.

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COOKIE SALE TIME - Among those laying plans for a successful Girl Scout Cookie sale are, left to right, Kim Retelle, Mrs. Albert E. Rockwood, Mary Christopher, Jill Franks and Mrs. John Holmes.

Students Are Births... CAR Speakers

Two members of the Andover High School Outward Bound Club presented the program at the last meeting of Samuel Osgood Society, Children of the American Revolution.

Karen Nelson showed slides and talked of her experience at the Minnesota Outward Bound School for young women where, through coping with natural challenges, their capacity for growth is explored, tested and expanded.

The second speaker, Wayne Thompson, showed a movie about the Hurricane Island school that he attended last summer. Because the school is located ten miles off the coast of Maine, more than half the program involves training in seamanship and navigation.

The January CAR meeting was held at the home of Mrs. E. H. Thompson, senior president, Susan J. McGrath, president, conducted a short business meeting, Norma Kenyon led the opening exercises and Patricia Kenyon presented the secretary's report.

White Donates Land To AVIS Near Meadow

Sidney P. White of 5 Argilla Rd. has given the Andover Village Improvement Society 350 square feet of land at the northwestern tip of his new development, "Whispering Pines", situated off Reservation Rd. and abutting AVIS land at Baker's Meadow. This parcel of land is important because, at the point in question, Mr. White's land extends to the shore of the pond. This gift now permits public passage on dry land without trespassing on private property. AVIS will erect a rail fence along the boundary.

Under the direction of Wolf Berthold, chairman of AVIS land management committee, the trail between White's land and the pond has been relocated. George Lybrand surveyed the boundary line and Walter Hensel, George Glennie, Ronald Valentine and Mrs. Richard Katz helped cut the trail. The new trail runs directly from Reservation Rd., where a sign will be placed, southwesterly over AVIS land between the William Zurwell and John Doyle properties. It then continues to the pond, where it skirts the pond between the Whispering Pines development and the water. It then turns south to the dam which controls the height of the water in the Meadow.

Business pays for brains, but does not always get them.

Cookie Sale Is Beginning

Girl Scouts will begin their annual effort to turn cookie dough into camping "dough" when they initiate the 1968 cookie sale on Jan. 26.

The sale will run through Feb. 8 and delivery of the GS cookies will begin Feb. 29.

Every Girl Scout benefits in two ways from this annual fund raiser. First, her troop receives a percentage of the profits. Secondly, cookie money goes into the developing and maintaining of local Girl Scout camps. If a girl from Merrimack River G.S. Council should be selected to attend special conferences etc., funds for this also come from the cookie fund.

Mrs. John F. Holmes is chairman for the Andover sale.

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South Church

The 257th annual meeting of South Church will be held on Jan. 31 at 7:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. There will be an election of officers, discussion of budget and program activity for 1968.

Supper will precede the meeting at 6:30 p.m. Supper reservations should be made at the church office by Jan. 28.

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Andover Man Has Scholarship

Vincent J. McGuire Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent J. McGuire, 225 S. Main St., has been awarded the Dr. Frank H. Lahey Scholarship. This scholarship fund was established in 1962 by the will of Alice W. Lahey in memory of her husband, Dr. Frank H. Lahey, a former trustee of Tufts College and professor of clinical surgery in the medical school.

McGuire a fourth year medical student of Tufts School of Medicine graduated from Tufts College, magna cum laude in 1964 and was the recipient of the Thomas H. and Emily L. Carmichael Award for excellence in chemistry.

At present he is furthering his studies at Queen's Hospital, Honolulu, Hawaii, an affiliated hospital of Tufts School of Medicine.

Merrimack Stockholders Hear Reports

William R. Kennedy, president of Merrimack Valley National Bank, told stockholders at their annual meeting Jan. 16 that deposits in the bank increased 26% in 1967.

The dollar increase was from \$32,449,470 to \$41,154,213, a record increase of \$8,704,743.

Loans in all categories increased by \$3,165,987.63. Total resources increased by \$8,520,264.63 and \$217,845.83 was added to the bank's capital accounts, bringing total capital, surplus, and undivided profits to \$2,501,193.40.

Wallace E. Brimer retired as a director in accordance with the bank's retirement policy. Brimer resides in Andover and has served as a member of the board since January, 1936.

All of the following directors were re-elected: Michael J. Batal Jr., George A. Berman, Chesley T. Blxby, Archer L. Bolton Jr., Anthony Cogswell, Walter V. Demers Jr., George W. Foss, Albert B. Gordon, Robert M. Henderson, Daniel E. Hogan Jr., John M. Kemper, William R. Kennedy, W. Clifford McDonald, Edward C. Nichols, James R. Page, N. Nelson Pingree, Lyman B. Pope, George F. Sawyer, Harry N. Snook, Melvin M. Starensier, Horace N. Stevens Jr. and Arthur H. Veasey Jr.

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Converse Signs Three Year Contract

The signing of a three-year labor agreement calling for general wage increases amounting to 29 1/2¢ per hour over the contract period, plus a number of fringe benefit improvements, was announced jointly this week by officials of Converse Rubber Co., Tyer division, and the United Rubber, Cork, Linoleum and Plastic Workers of America Local #137.

The contract which was signed Monday, Jan. 15, is retroactive to Jan. 1, 1968 and runs thru Jan. 1, 1971. Additional increases for shift differentials have also been included.

Specifically, workers covered by the agreement will receive a 10¢ per hour general increase effective Jan. 1, 1968. On Jan. 1, 1969, there will be another 10¢ per hour general increase, followed by a 9 1/2¢ per hour general increase on Jan. 1, 1970.

Another highlight of the agreement includes an additional 10¢ per hour increase for skilled trades. Shift differentials include an in-

creased second-shift differential to 10¢ per hour and an increased third-shift differential to 15¢ per hour.

Fringe benefit improvements under the new three-year contract call for an increase from 8 1/2 holidays to 9 holidays; an increase in weekly sick benefits and an increase in regular life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment insurance.

In addition, other fringe benefit improvements have been granted which include; an increase in the hospitalization plan to include complete semi-private room and board allowance for 120 days; an increased Christmas bonus plan; and an increase in coverage and amount paid for bereavement pay.

Another fringe benefit included in the new three-year agreement is an improvement in the employee's vacation plan. Under the new contract, workers are entitled

to three-weeks paid vacation after ten-years of employment and five-weeks paid vacation after 25 years employment. The Converse Rubber Company Tyer Division Fringe Benefit Program is paid in full by the company.

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The Andover Fire Department responded to the following calls between Jan. 9 and Jan. 15.

Jan. 9 - Parker House Inn, broken water pipe, Andrew Sherard.

Jan. 10 - 7 Lakeside Cir., building fire, Dennis McCarthy.

Jan. 11 - 28 Rocky Hill Rd., flue blockage, Harold Bruner.

Jan. 13 - 32 Bancroft Rd., partition fire, Alfred Steinberg.

Jan. 14 - Admiral Box Co., broken smoke pipe, Sam Kellerman; 46 Hidden Rd., chair fire, Lillian Lewis.

Jan. 15 - 35 Juniper Rd., dryer fire, H. G. Bronson Jr.; Capital Distributing Co., sprinkler trouble; Abbott Academy, defective sprinkler.

The Department ambulance responded to 22 calls during the same period.

The Andover Fire Department responded to the following calls between Jan. 2, and Jan. 8.

Jan. 2 - William Washburn, 47 School St., automobile fire.

Jan. 4 - False Alarm.

Jan. 6 - Richard Keene, 29 Boston Rd., building fire.

Jan. 8 - Malcomb Battles, 3 Chandler Rd., gasoline fire.

The department ambulance responded to 14 calls during the same period.

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Further information may be obtained from the guidance department at Andover High School.

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Librarian Reviews Keats' "American Experience"

John Keats' *THE NEW ROMANS* which he calls "an American experience" is quite an experience, and for the reader it may be a disturbing one. Author Vance Packard regards it as a blunt, hilarious memoir that succeeds in searching the soul of modern

America. Blunt it is. Hilarious? Well, Keats looks back with amused detachment on episodes from his somewhat unconventional boyhood and young manhood. Still, as he says, his experiences could not have been so very different from those of millions of his contemporaries who are now 40 and upward. Go ahead and identify, in some seldom discussed areas.

This is an adult book. Not because we would censor it for teenagers, but because the author has admirably accomplished his aim of talking to the generation who were children during Prohibition, adolescents in the Depression, and soldiers or their girls during Hitler's war.

As his memoir approaches the immediate past, say 1967, Keats is a good deal more shocking because he is so earnest and probably so right about what lies ahead for our society which has conjured up the anti-hero. He says much on the confusions we have handed our children, "We have marooned them in a gold-plated playpen". And they have defended themselves by detaching themselves from our present. "My father's generation produced the hero we worshiped as boys, while we have produced the anti-hero our children regard as cool." The thought is chilling that today's teens and college students have made a sub-culture we can hardly fathom, based on parental and community attitudes which they have observed for ten to 20 years. From where else did they adopt hedonism without joy, or find emptiness in the midst of plenty? "Our gifts to our children included . . . a confused, if not inflated, view of their proper place in the scheme of things."

Even more chilling is the idea that in 20 to 30 years the anti-hero of today's avant garde youth will be the standard for middleclass man just as the materialist hero of a generation ago is the proper image for the middleclass right now. This is as sure as doom, unless history does not repeat itself.

Keats sheds some light on the American way of arriving at a collective decision. It is simplistic - two sides to every question seems to be as far as we think. The process is going on now in regard to our posture toward Asia.

In regard to our attitude toward Vietnam he says, "Perhaps what the world should completely understand is that in America as nowhere else, man is most free to be himself - and therefore as likely to wreck a world as to create one. All we need is the proper provocation - one that will set us, and the world, off in the worst possible direction."

John Keats lived abroad for a year for the specific purpose of obtaining a better perspective on his country. *THE NEW ROMANS* was written in Italy and rewritten in America. He isn't afraid to take a strong stand and the new book is even more incendiary than *THE INSOLENT CHARIOTS* or *THE CRACK IN THE PICTURE WINDOW*. He has also written *THE SHEEPSKIN PSYCHOSIS*.

COMING EVENTS

- January**
- 25 **Leo Lions and Lili Lions** at 10 a.m. at Ballardvale branch.
- Story hour for the school-age, 3:30 p.m., the Children's Room.
- 30 **Squirrels group**, 10 a.m., Children's Room.
- Fifth Year Great Books** discussion, Main Library, 7:30 p.m.
- February**
- 1 **Movie for the school-age**, 3:30 p.m., the Children's Room.
- Ellie Elephants and Eddie Elephants** at 10 a.m., Ballardvale branch.

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Jean Vint, Assistant Librarian

Movie Program

Films to be shown next week, on Feb. 1, have been selected for this one showing only, according to Miss Elizabeth Russell, children's librarian. School-age boys and girls will be able to see a fairy tale and an animal movie. *Rumpelstiltskin* is the fairy tale acted in pantomime. A lovable skunk is the subject of "Adventures with Willie Skunk." He is one of five baby skunks and gets into plenty of near-scrapes. Movie time is 3:30 p.m. and children should meet in the children's room.

What Do You See?

The theme for children's stories in the children's room at 3:30 Jan. 23 is "Some see this - some see that." Mrs. Ross Eldridge is the narrator and she will tell "A Week of Sundays" which is an Irish tale by Margaret Baker; "The Apple Dumpling" from Laura Cathorn's *TREASURED TALES*; "The Quarrel of the Quails," also from *TREASURED TALES*.

After the program, the books may be taken home for reading by

two lucky children who ask. So don't forget to bring your library card when you come to story hour!

The Essence of a Thing

Fifth Year Great Books discussion members will be hashing over Spinoza's *ON THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE UNDERSTANDING*. Questions that will arise from the reading are sure to include the basic question "What is the true essence of a thing?" and "How does the human being arrive at this concept for any one thing?" Reasoning? If anything is clearly and distinctly conceived, is it necessarily true? Does good reasoning always lead a person to the truth?

The Great Books discussion is scheduled for Jan. 30 at 7:30 and is open to the public who are invited to come and share their reactions with neighbors, who like themselves, are exchanging opinions derived from reading the great literature of the western world.

Bestsellers To Branch

Among the new titles received by Ballardvale branch of the Memorial Hall Library are bestsellers *THE MURDERERS AMONG US* by Simon Wiesenthal; *NICHOLAS AND ALEXANDRA* by R. K. Massie; *THE COURTESY OF DEATH* by Geoffrey Household, and *THE TERROR* by mystery writer John Creasey. In addition a new deposit collection has been received from the main library. Come and see. The branch is located in the Ballardvale Community building on Center Street. A new booklist of popular reading is also available according to Mrs. Martha MacCausland, branch librarian.

Sanborn PTA Plans Dance For February

Sanborn School PTA has scheduled its annual dinner dance for Feb. 10 at Andover Country Club. A social hour will be held from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. and a smorgasbord dinner will be served at 8. Dancing will follow.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McVey are chairmen for the Valentine dance. Assisting them are Mrs. Donald Carrine, decoration chairman, and her committee including Martha Beaton, Mary Bartow, Judy Naill, Florence Anderson, Constance Hopkins, Carolyn Brody, Kay Spires, Lynn Gustafson, Christel Fernandes, Sue Kerwin, Loretta Yardi, and Nancy Coombes.

Mrs. Stanley Lyman will be in charge of hors d'oeuvres and Mr. and Mrs. Peltine are ways and means chairmen.

Sproul Aided PPW Committee

Norman Sproul of 38 Holt Rd., was first vice chairman of the 22nd annual Printing and Publishing Week of New England held Jan. 13-18 in Boston.

Sproul's duties as first vice chairman included overall coordination and planning of the week-long activities. Nineteen organizations sponsored P & P Week this year.

Sproul is assistant treasurer of the corporation and manager of the printing division of the Wakefield Item. He is a past president of the Boston Club of Printing House Craftsmen.

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Sunday, January 28

2:00 - BOSTON SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA Erich Leinsdorf conducts Wagner: Siegfried Idyll, Beethoven Symphony No. 9 (Harvard Glee Club, Radcliffe Choral Society, New England Conservatory Chorus, soprano Jan Marsh, alto Eunice Alberts, tenor Richard Cassily, bass Thomas Paul).

4:00 - NET PLAYHOUSE Passage to India, Dame Sybil Thorne heads the cast in Santha Rama Rau's dramatization of the famous E.M. Forster novel about life and prejudice in India at the turn of the century. Appearing with her is Virginia McKenna, star of the film "Born Free".

7:00 - NET FESTIVAL The Mozart Concerto, Pianist Lili Kraus performs three concertos, Stephen Simon conducts the Mozart Chamber Orchestra.

Monday, January 29

7:00 - MARSHALL McLUHAN He explains his philosophy.

9:00 - NET JOURNAL Inside the Foreign Office. This intertel show deals with the British Foreign Office, showing how it operates and the problems which it handles.

Tuesday, January 30

7:00 - TRANSLATING McLUHAN Study of McLuhan's communications philosophy.

8:00 - REPERTORY THEATRE U.S.A. The Dumb Waiter. Harold Pinter's gripping story about 2 professional killers who await their next victim, performed by the Hull House Repertory Co. of Chicago.

10:30 - FIRING LINE William F. Buckley interviews guest, Dr. Frederick Schwarz.

Wednesday, January 31

7:00 - SEALAB 1 (Color) Navy research on life under the sea in a submersible laboratory.

9:00 - NET FESTIVAL Double Concerto. The English Chamber Orchestra with pianists Vladimir Ashkenazy and Daniel Barenboim rehearse and perform Mozart's Concerto in E flat for Two Pianos.

Thursday, February 1

7:30 - MAKING THINGS GROW Bonsai. Guest Annie Derderian shows intricacies of the ancient Eastern art of miniaturizing house plants, trees and shrubs.

8:30 - THE WINTER'S TALE First Rehearsal. The Actors Company begins rehearsing the Shakespeare play, which will be seen in a finished performance later this month.

Friday, February 2

5:30 - WHAT'S NEW The Deusing children demonstrate their skill at woodcraft as they stalk deer and a moose. On "Independence Adventure" some of the legends of the American Revolution are recreated and we find out who Molly Pitcher really was.

8:30 - NET PLAYHOUSE Lady with the Dog, Russian film, adapted from Anton Chekhov's nostalgic short story.

Saturday, February 3

7:30 - THE FRENCH CHEF Four-in-Hand Chicken. Chicken poached in white wine.

8:00 - PROFILES IN COURAGE Frederick Douglass. Robert Hooks stars as the fugitive slave who risked family, career and even freedom for the cause of abolition.

9:00 - THE DAVID SUSSKIND SHOW 3 Segments: Pot Smokers and Acid Heads; New Hope for Losers and Loners, Part II; Are You Afraid To Die?

DENTISTS MEETING

The Massachusetts Dental Society will hold its mid-winter educational meeting in the Sheraton-Boston Hotel on January 29-30.

The house of delegates will meet all day Sunday, Jan. 28, to conduct the business of the Society. Dr. Philip Williams of Lynn, president, will preside.

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PTA Announces Film Series

A series of film presentations for children will be sponsored by the Central School PTA on four winter Saturdays, beginning Jan. 27.

The presentations, featuring adventure films and shorts aimed for the upper elementary school public, will be shown in the junior high school auditorium Feb. 3, Feb. 10 and March 2, as well as this coming Saturday.

"The Last Rhino," a 55-minute color film set in a game preserve in Africa, and "The General," a 37-minute Buster Keaton comedy,

Vo-Tech Exam Is Scheduled

The entrance examination for the Greater Lawrence Regional Vocational-Technical High School will be given at the Vo-Tech School on River Road beginning at 8 a.m. on Saturday, March 9.

Students should plan to be there by 7:45 a.m. and come prepared to stay approximately four hours.

comprise Saturday's program. Film time is 2 p.m.

Mrs. Edward Gordon, member of the board of the Central School PTA, said the films were chosen with the advice of Gaspar Jako, president of the North East Film Center for Children, and were selected both for their high quality of interest for children and for their beauty.

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Another full slate of games was contested Monday night when the Church Basketball League swung into its second week of action in the junior high school gym.

In the opening game in the Junior Division, West Parish 'A' took the measure of West Parish 'B', 17-7. Greg Brown dunked 6 points, Dave Vivian 5, Wayne Couture 4 and Bob Scribner, 2 for the winners. For West 'B', Dave Barr flipped in 4 points, Mark Hewett had 2 and Bob MacMackin contributed 1. Steve Wilkins and Mark Conlon paced the defenses of both clubs.

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St. Augustine 'A' whitewashed St. Robert's, 12-0, with Bob Driscoll canning 6 points, Tom Luceri 4 and Matt Market 2 for the winners. Park, Santos, Chemaly, Aubut and Picone led the St. Robert's charge.

Ricky Cherry scored all 10 points for Baptist as they toppled St. Augustine 'C' by a 10-6 count. Jim Loscutt had 4 markers and J. McAndrew 2 for the losers. R. Stedman and R. Whitton also paced the winners while S. Reming and M. Cacowski led the losers.

St. Augustine's 'D' fought off a late rally by Christ to record a 17-10 triumph. Division scoring leader Tom LaPointe hooped 8 points, Keith Verrette 5 and brother Glen Verrette 4 for the winners. Alan Robinson swished 8 points from the outside and D. Lockwood had the other 2 for Christ.

The final Junior tilt saw St. Augustine 'B' trip Free by a 10-7 margin. Farrell and Royal each contributed 4 and Caselden 2 for the winners, while T. Bunnell had 4, Chapman 2 and Scotty Gerrish 1 for Free.

Tom LaPointe currently leads the Junior individual scoring race with 16 points, followed by Billy Haskell and Bob Driscoll with 14, Ricky Cherry with 13, Dave Barr and Greg Brown with 12 and Dave Vivian with 11.

In the Intermediate sector, Christ built up a first half margin and then went on to defeat West Parish 'A', 28-20. Jon Bowen canned 9 points for Christ, Scott White had 7, B. Long 4 and G. Cormier 3. For West, Alan MacLaren took game scoring honors with 11 points, Henry Couture added 6 and Karl Harig stuffed 2.

West Parish 'B' galloped to another one-sided victory as it dumped South, 61-8. Chris Post led all scorers with 21 markers, Bruce Gilday hooped 16, Captain Art Nichols pumped in 8 and Bob Dufault and Scott Vivian delivered 6 apiece. For South, S. Cornwell had 4 and Ken Forrest and B. Hocknell added 2 each.

The final Intermediate fray produced a 45-16 win for St. Augustine 'A' over St. Roberts. The winners were led by Kevin Connors

with 13 and Bill Timmons and Fury with 10 markers apiece. For St. Roberts, S. Tisbert and Pat McGrath had 5 points and A. Tisbert added 4.

West 'B' dominates the individual scoring race with Chris Post leading the league with 29 points, followed by teammates Bruce Gilday, 26 points, Art Nichols, 24 points and Scott Vivian 17. Scott White and Pat McGrath follow with 16 each and Kevin Connors had 15 and Jonn Bowen 14.

All boys are reminded that the deadline for returning registration fees and registration blanks is prior to next Monday's game. Any boy who has not turned these in to his coach cannot continue playing.

Next Monday night's schedule: Juniors: at 6:15 p.m., St. Augustine 'D' vs West 'B' and Christ vs St. Augustine 'B'. At 6:45 p.m., West 'A' vs St. Augustine 'C' and Baptist vs St. Augustine 'A'. At 7:15 p.m., Free vs St. Roberts. Intermediates: At 7:15 p.m., South vs St. Augustine 'A'. At 7:45 p.m., Christ vs St. Augustine 'B' and West 'A' vs West 'B'.

Church League Games Played Monday

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Basketball

The second half of the Andover Youth Center finals in the shooting contest. Pee-Wee foul shot following were the year olds" - 1st for 50; 2nd Mike 50; 3rd, Hugh Car 4th Brien McG. "9 year olds" Boland, 11 for 50; 9 for 50; 3rd, Ric 50; 4th, Tom Sar "10 year olds" 21 for 50; 2nd, 50; 3rd, Jim Mc 4th, Bob Murgia.

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In the final "Supersonics" "Chargers" 23- B. Messersmith 6; G. Fuller, 4; and R. Cushing 2 the loss B. Farr had 6 points each

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second game last week.

In the first game of the evening, Earl Simon, who captains the Sweepers, rallied his team for a 41-40 dusting of Don Anderson's Butterflies. Al Wilson was again the Sweepers main threat with 19 points over both halves. Dick White, who backed off somewhat from his previous strong defensive approach, assisted with 11 points over all. New players on the Butterflies squad are Barney Davey and Bud Ohlin.

In the second game, the Hornets buzzed the Stropees in a spirited 32-22 contest. Fred Collins of the Hornets was high man with 13 points which took some of the

pressure off Bob Eastman, a 6' 6" player who was the target of many a Strobe player. Bob MacPherson kept the opposition in contention with 14 points, to the relief of Coach Dick Marciano.

The Nor'Easters and Pickups have formed as the fifth and sixth teams in the league and begin action this week at Sanborn School.

Frank Monette shares official refereeing duties with Dick Swift and Craig Hurst is the League's main score keeper.

Leslie Bartow, municipal recreation director, has set up League rules and schedules which are to be distributed this week.

Boy Scouts

Cub Scouts in Pack 100 presented a series of skits on communications at the monthly pack meeting held at Sanborn School.

The skits and casts were as follows: telephone skit - Donald Harnden and Robert Reddish; newspaper skit - James Caputo, Mark Lalonde and Robbie Harring; television skit - Michael Harring, Robert Hoelzel; Robert Moynihan, Steven Gregory and Steven Sherman. Jeffrey Doyle was moderator.

The following awards were made: Denner - Daniel Syiek, C. Friedman, J. Lustig, Robert MacMackin, Robert Hoelzel, John Alexander and Robert Brown.

Asst. Denner - Steve Hillman, Michael Scheinefein, Michael Harring and Steven Sapuppo.

Wolf - Steven DeRoche, Paul Zuda, Steven Sapuppo and Robert MacMackin.

Arrows on Wolf, Gold Arrow and Silver Arrow, Victor Collins. Bear - John Alexander.

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Webelos Awards - Artist: David Syiek, D. Gustafson, Peter Reilly, Paul McVey, George Mizell and Albert Alexander; Citizen: Dan Koch; Scientist: Dan Koch and Albert Alexander; Showman: Paul Cox, Jim Cox, D. Gustafson; Geologist: Jim Cox; Traveler: Albert Alexander; Sportsman: Albert Alexander.

Dr. Robert Lennon presented a film on the "Various Ways of Resuscitation." After the film, cub scouts and parents were given an opportunity to try mouth to mouth resuscitation on a manikin.

Cub Master, Francis Reilly announced that Pack 100 will have a Sliding Party at the Andover Recreation Park on Saturday, Feb. 10, starting at 1:30 p.m. On Feb. 16, the Blue and Gold Dinner will be held at Sanborn School at 6:30 p.m. Entertainment for the evening will be a film on the Red Sox World Series and the third base coach for the Red Sox will be guest speaker.

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Basketball

The second half season began at Andover Youth Center Saturday and the finals in the Pee-Wee foul shooting contest were held. In the Pee-Wee foul shooting contest the following were top shooters: "8 year olds" - 1st, David Walsh 27 for 50; 2nd Mike Issenberg, 14 for 50; 3rd, Hugh Cameron, 13 for 50; 4th Brian McGrath, 9 for 50. "9 year olds" - 1st, Eddie Boland, 11 for 50; 2nd, Jerry Cox, 9 for 50; 3rd, Richard Arrigo, 8 for 50; 4th, Tom Sambuco, 7 for 50. "10 year olds", 1st, Brian Ahern, 21 for 50; 2nd, Tom Duffy, 20 for 50; 3rd, Jim McEwen, 12 for 50; 4th, Bob Murgia, 9 for 50.

Saturday games in the PEE-WEE DIVISION follows: The "Hawks" squeaked by the "Hellcats" 7-6. For the win Capt. G. Mizell had 4 points; M. Moriarty 2; and B. Moynihan, 1 point. For the loss, Capt. M. Hammar had 2; J. Fox 2, and T. Stamas, 2 points.

The "Celtics" topped the "Lakers" 18-6. For the win T. Duffy had 9; B. Murgia 4; M. McCormick 3; and J. McEwen 2 points. For the loss, B. McParland had 6 points with fine play from F. Whitcomb and M. McGovern. In the final Pee-Wee game the "Vikings" beat the 1st half Champs, the "Chargers", 6-2. For the win, J. Mower had 6 points with fine help from T. McLarney, B. Vanschalkwyk and P. Connolly and M. Gill. For the loss, G. Winn had 2 points with help from M. Johnson, T. Paris, B. Simonds and B. Twomey.

In the JUNIOR DIVISION the "Hawks" bombed the "76'ers" 40-16. For the win, B. Ferguson, had 16; M & D Sweetser brothers, 10 each; and C. Bodge & R. Gross 2 points each. For the losers, A. Naman had 11; J. Jolie 5; and there was fine play from S. Gerrish and J. Sheehy. The "Celtics" remained unbeaten as they topped the "Cougars", 24-13. For the win, S. White had 13 points; C. Gannon 6; J. Mower 3; and G. Lynch, 2. For the losers, M. Charewicz had 6; B. Boland 5; and J. Alexander 2.

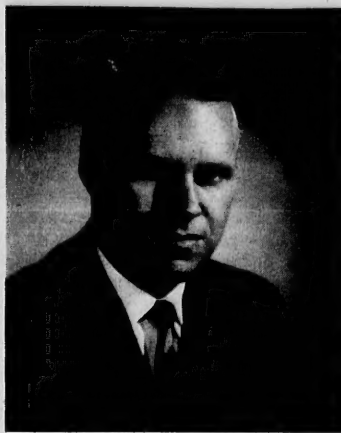
In the final Junior game the "Supersonics" topped the "Chargers" 23-15. For the win, B. Messersmith had 9; J. Conlon 6; G. Fuller, 4; and A. Robinson and R. Cushing 2 points each. For the loss B. Farrell and R. Perron had 6 points each and T. Murphy, 3.

In the INTERMEDIATE DIVISION the "Trojans" walloped the "Warriors" 60-14. For the win J. Wood had 32; T. Palmieri 16; M. Klempa 8; and C. Barr & D. Perron, 2 points each. For the loss S. Robinson had 6; B. Gilday 4; and W. Vanschalkwyk and M. Sadowski 2 each. In the final intermediate game the "Yellow-jackets" squeaked by the "Celtics" 37-36 as K. Connors threw in a 20 footer with 1 second left in the game giving him 26 points and M. Morreo and W. Powell 5 each. For the loss, K. Starks 10 and M. & C. Fanning 10 each. A Sutcliffe 4 points.

Alley Cats

Scores Told

The Andover Alley Cats met recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Davis, 3 Glen Cove Rd. High scores for the month were reported as follows: High single game, Duncan Black, 211 and Joanne Muldoon, 175; high series, Allan Kenney, 555 and Janet Davis and Ruth Kenney, 409 each; high couples series, Allan and Ruth Kenney.



Paul C. Dow Jr.

Avco Promotes Dr. Paul Dow

Dr. Paul C. Dow Jr. of Andover has been promoted from associate director to director of Avco Corp's Mark 1A penetration aids program, according to a recent announcement by Joseph F. Vogl, corporate systems management vice president.

An employee of Avco since 1960, Dow has held various posts with the company's missile and space systems divisions in Wilmington and Lowell, including director of test, manufacturing and operations, associate director of development and engineering, and manager of the guidance and control department.

A graduate of the United States Military Academy, he holds masters degrees in aeronautical engineering and instrumentation engineering and a Ph.D. in aeronautical engineering from the University of Michigan.

Prior to joining Avco, he was a project officer for guidance and control, Air Force ballistic missiles division.

The author of numerous papers, Dow is a member of Sigma Xi, associate fellow of American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics, and a registered professional engineer (Ohio).

He resides with his wife, the former Joan Horner, and four children, Deborah, Linda, Bruce and Eric, at 19 Strawberry Hill Rd.

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Engineman Fireman Thomas W. Gaudet, USN, son of Mrs. Jennie Gaudet of 145 Haverhill St., is a "Plank Owner" (original crew member) aboard the Navy's newest guided missile destroyer escort USS Richard L. Page, in Newport, R. I.

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Fact Or Fiction?

Each time there is a municipal election, this newspaper editorializes about the limited number of men and women willing to compete for elective office in Andover. Where are all the bright young men, the mature business and civic leaders and the educated females of this community when it is the time of year for nomination papers and campaign speeches?

One TOWNSMAN reader suggests that he has a partial answer, an explanation for the bright young men. It is his opinion — and that of an indefinite number of others — that a substantial number of young ambitious family men dodge the responsibility of public office because they cannot afford to sacrifice the income they get from moonlighting or staying on the job after hours in pursuit of added commissions, bonuses and the like. Make the job of community service worthwhile, financially, and a lot of these qualified, competent citizens will be induced to take a second look at openings on the town's two elective boards, says the proponent of remuneration. What he advises is this: \$3500 a year instead of \$400 for members of the Board of Selectmen and the same for members of the School Committee, who currently receive no salary at all. With this kind of backing, young men with mouths to feed can afford to give over evenings to meeting the demands made upon the time of elected officials, particularly those on the Board of Selectmen. (Men of means could, of course, refuse the salary.)

Is he right? Is this all that stands between Andover and a better blend of ages and abilities in public office?

Can you buy quality in public service? This is a subject that has been debated over and over again as both Congress and various state legislatures have examined the problem of attracting highly competent people into politics. The arguments in favor of our reader's theory are persuasive. For example, young executives who have real ability cannot take second jobs indiscriminately, but it could benefit both the community and their careers if greater numbers of them became involved with municipal government. Men with business, technical and management experience could absorb considerably more responsibility than those who come to elective office with limited knowledge about how to evaluate data and make judgments.

On the other hand, if the town must sweeten the bait in order to attract public spirited citizens, isn't it just as likely to tempt the wrong flies? Is it as valid to suggest that compensation is as vital at the local level (particularly an affluent town like Andover) as it is at the state and federal level where men must devote themselves almost entirely to the duties of elective office?

Sooner or later someone is going to propose that the town consider changes in the charter that would cut the size of the Board of Selectmen and School Committee from five to three members in the interest of efficiency. Real, rather than token compensation for elected officials could be feasible then.

We are dubious, quite frankly, that Andover's recruitment problem can be solved with money. We are more inclined to believe that numbers of good potential candidates are discouraged by the visible signs of committee and/or board inefficiency and confusion, internal dissension and public harassment. Others are apathetic and too far removed from municipal affairs to recognize the need.

Now, while the subject is timely, we invite discussion in our Letters to the Editor column on the premise that the town can improve the quality of local government by investing a reasonable sum in salaries for elected officials.

What is your opinion?

A Great Community is one which permits the widest range of divergence among its people. What makes a HICK TOWN is not its size but its small-mindedness, its attitude toward individuality, eccentricity, and strangeness.

Men and nations do behave wisely, once all other alternatives have been exhausted.

Abba Eban, Israeli Minister of Foreign Affairs

Russia has only one opponent: the explosive power of democratic ideas, that inborn urge of the human race in the direction of freedom.

Karl Marx

Mother Nature Regulates Seed Showers

By Wayne Hanley

The most obvious things often are not true.

Like, for instance, the idea that snowstorms cause trees and weeds to shed their seeds. If you have given much attention to this sort of thing, you undoubtedly have noticed the rather heavy sprinkling of seeds that appears on the snow surface after each storm. Juncos and tree sparrows spend considerable time feeding on these seeds. They also are harvested by goldfinches.

For many years, we supposed that the shower of seeds was an aftermath of the storm; that the combination of moisture and cold caused seed heads to burst and scatter the bonanza of food at a time when birds needed it most.

Naturalists, however, have determined that the shower of seeds occurs at a rather regular pace throughout the winter. A snowstorm neither speeds the process nor increases the bounty. The clean blanket of snow just makes the seeds more obvious than they are when they fall on the brown

carpet of snow-free winter.

Some plants, of course, shed their seeds at different periods in the course of a winter. There are those that release seed early in winter; those which release them in mid-winter, and others that drop seed in late winter. A few old reliables either shatter seed heads at intervals all winter long or else hold their seeds in a manner that makes them available to birds and small mammals.

The various combinations of seed-release characteristics of plants result in a rather steady supply of food through the winter which sustains those birds capable of exploiting it.

If one reviews the various plants that provide winter bird food, he will find the ragweed surprisingly high on most lists. Even the goldfinch which we think of as a harvester of thistle seed actually seems to prefer ragweed. Redpolls, juncos, white-throated sparrows, song sparrows and even snow buntings all eat ragweed seeds.

The winter food of birds depends to a degree upon the birds' adapt-

ability in harvesting seeds. Crossbills, for instance, depend almost exclusively upon seeds which they remove from the cones of evergreen trees. It is interesting that despite their similarity the crossbills have different food preferences. The red crossbill feeds largely on pine cones. The white-winged crossbill prefers spruce cones. Thus, in northern New England where the two species' ranges overlap, they are not competitive.

Birches produce an important seed crop that feed the ruffed grouse, chickadees, purple finches, redpolls, and pine siskins. Even the common alder is important to ruffed grouse, goldfinches and redpolls.

That common visitor to bird feeders, the junco, eats a wide range of wild seeds, as one might suspect of any successful wintering bird. Among its favorites, in addition to ragweed, are the seeds of bristle-grass, crabgrass, dropseedgrass, smartweed, goosefoot, panicgrass, timothy, pigweed and wood sorrel.

A Pretty Story

Museum Debunks Groundhog Legend

Waiting anxiously for Feb. 2 to learn from the groundhog if we can look forward to an early end to the ice, snow, and wind of this worst winter in decades?

Sorry, but according to Boston's Museum of Science, you'd better not depend on this little fellow for any weather forecasting on so-called Groundhog Day. (After all, who can rely on an animal with an alias? He's really a woodchuck; and, as a matter of fact, he's also called a marmot by some people!)

Legend has it that the groundhog emerges from his burrow on Feb. 2. If he sees his shadow, winter will continue for another six weeks; so back he goes for another snooze. If he doesn't see his shadow, how-

ever, spring is just around the corner, and he gets going about his business.

A pretty story, but forget it! According to the label on the New England woodchuck diorama at Boston's Museum of Science, the chuck curls up and goes to sleep in October; and usually doesn't poke its head aboveground until March.

During this deep winter sleep, woodchucks average only one breath every three minutes, and their temperature drops from 96.8 degrees F to as low as 38 degrees F. They may use only about two calories a day, in contrast to 98 in the summer. It is this low metabolic rate that permits them

to live all winter on body fat accumulated during the warm months.

Only a few New England mammals — chipmunks, jumping mice, and some bats — are true hibernators, like the woodchuck. Others, like bears, raccoons, and skunks, are semihibernators, inactive much of the time but never completely torpid.

Getting back to Groundhog Day, it appears that your only chance of finding a groundhog at this time of year is at the Museum of Science. There the woodchuck diorama and other companion dioramas on the red fox, weasel, fisher, bat, and mouse can be seen Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Friday night until 10; and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Down the Years with The Townsman

75 Years Ago — January, 1893

At a meeting of the officers and past officers of the Pynchard School Cadets Saturday evening, Jan. 7, an association to be known as the Pynchard Officers Assn. was formed. J. Percy Roberts was elected president and Lt. S. S. Bell, secretary and treasurer.

Our enterprising hardware dealer, Henry McLawlin, comes out this week with a neat and serviceable calendar. At the top is an excellent view of his store. Mr. McLawlin's many customers will doubtless appreciate this handy article which he is distributing with his compliments.

William R. Robinson is the name of a wanderer who now, by order of Judge Poor, languishes in the Lawrence jail awaiting trial by the Superior Court. The charge overhanging him is the larceny of a cow belonging to Hardy Bros. of West Parish. One night last week Robinson took the cow from the barn and started to lead it off. His destination, as he afterward told, was Brighton. He got along all right as far as Woburn where he stopped over one night putting the cow in a barn. The next morning he started again, but the cow, evidently feeling well after a night's rest, proceeded to make things lively for Robinson. The result was she got him twisted up in the rope and threw him down so violently that his right wrist was badly sprained.

50 Years Ago — January, 1918

The recommendation by Gov. McCall for an investigation into the peat bogs of New England brings to mind one of the activities of Mr. Paul Hannigan of Lawrence. It will be remembered that years ago he acquired the Red Spring property at Indian Ridge and there was some talk at the time of making use of the supposedly medicinal spring water to be found in that section. Probably few of our readers know that Mr. Hannigan believed that of far greater importance than the spring water were the big deposits of peat to be found in the low land in that

section. Who knows but that the chief coal baron in that section at a no distant date may be our good friend Hannigan when his peat has become a marketable product.

Speaking of the order to close up business houses for five days and making ten "workless Mondays," let us hope that the average laboring man who is in this way deprived of his opportunity to toil for a wage which is being needed at this time for his every day demands will appreciate to what position he is brought through the incompetence of present day leaders. Most of them will wish that they were railroad workers or employed in some place so that they would come under the general program of wage increases given so freely (at the expense of the tax payers) to railroad workers and other people at this time profiting under the present war program. By the way, there is considerable evidence that postal clerks and letters carriers could stand a little bit of this wage increase craze and not get beyond their just deserts. Can it be that anybody in Washington has overlooked this great big group of voters?

25 Years Ago — January, 1943

The question of religious education in the public schools, which caused a great deal of discussion last summer when it was first brought before the school committee by the Andover Ministers' Assn., will highlight the annual meetings of at least two local churches during the coming week — Free Church and West Church.

The scores of friends, who gathered from his quarter page picture in a Life magazine study of a Navy hospital ship that he was very seriously injured, will be glad to know that Joseph Payne, formerly of Maple Avenue has completely recovered and is back with his Marine Corps unit on Guadalcanal.

Higus Asolan, popular former Pynchard football star, has recently been appointed a student captain in the 561st Technical School Squadron at Scott Field, Ill.

where he is enrolled in the AA radio school.

Harry Dawson is the new master for Andover Grange.

19 Years Ago — January, 1938

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Cromie 17 Abbot St., celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Monday, Jan. 13.

Grave warning to taxpayers — \$84 tax rate. Fin Com sees \$20 jump with more requests yet to come.

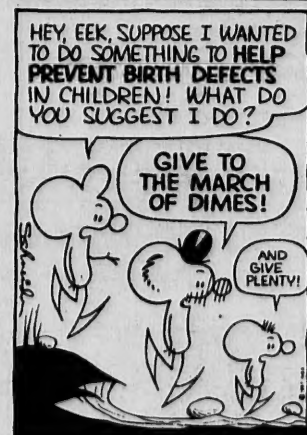
Ralph N. Sharpe, 345 Andover St., is seeking a one-year term as constable.

Eugene A. Zalla Jr., 3 Chester St., and a passenger in the car he was operating escaped injury Saturday night when their car turned over on N. Main Street.

Bernard F. Kellmurray, for 15 years head of the guidance department, has resigned that duty in order to teach English in the high school.

Mrs. Katherine Charlton, a resident of Andover, will teach several classes in charm under the auspices of the YWCA during the coming months.

When a man stands up to speak, people listen, then look. When a woman gets up, people look; then, if they like what they see, they listen.



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Taxpayers Predict Higher State Taxes

The state's upward spending spiral is gaining momentum and higher taxes are sure to follow soon, according to a special taxpayers report released this week by the Massachusetts Taxpayers Foundation through its January Newsletter, "Affairs of State".

Despite the prospect of a budget surplus this June and a balanced state budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969, current tax revenues in the general fund are already running behind state spending and the revenue shortage may reach \$60 million by 1971, the report predicts.

The study goes on to explain that while accumulated surpluses and proceeds of the taxes enacted in December will meet the State's immediate cash needs, current revenue in the present fiscal year will fall short of spending by some \$15 millions.

Bringing material from various sources together for the first time publicly, the MTF report projects increased spending of \$45 million for the next fiscal year ending June 30, 1969 in the general operations of the State alone and a probable cumulative spending growth of \$120 million by 1971.

Fast growing spending is offset by slow growing revenue. The report states: "The yield from taxes which finance non-highway operations (exclusive of payments of principal and interest on debt) increased from \$223.2 million in 1965 to \$243.7 million in 1967 and are estimated to yield \$246.1 million this year. The revenue from taxes effective in 1965 has been augmented by the additional taxes voted in 1966 which are estimated to yield \$34.1 million, thus providing a total of \$280.2 million for general operations this year."

The increase in yield from these taxes in each of the next three years is estimated at \$4.8, \$5, and \$5 million respectively. In addition, the State's share of taxes voted in December 1967 is estimated to increase \$5 millions per year.

Several growing spending programs are cited by the Foundation's study.

On the basis of present trends and plans, larger enrollments and budget increases are anticipated for all institutions of higher education - with expenses jumping from \$62 million this year to \$102 million in 1971.

Projected budget increases for mental health and mental retardation community programs will skyrocket from \$15 million this year to \$30 million in 1971 - to \$56 million in 1975.

For positions authorized for 1968, salary payments from the General Fund are expected to increase from an estimated \$240 million this year to \$282 million in 1971.

A projection of the annual amounts which will be required in future years to pay principal and interest from the General Fund on borrowings already authorized indicates that within the next four to eight years the annual amounts required will be about \$20 million above the level provided in the current (1968) fiscal year.

While the report indicates that expenditures will outrun revenue in the next fiscal year, it notes that the Constitution requires the presentation of a balanced budget to the legislature. Governor Volpe's Wednesday budget message can be

Too many people go around saying it's better to give than to receive but never find time to try out the system.

expected to propose spending increases considerably less than the Foundation's estimate of \$45 million, and, on the revenue side, will probably anticipate greater increases in yield from taxes, other revenue and windfall than the study shows.

Material in the special taxpayers report is abstracted from a longer Foundation study, "Background For Budgeting in 1968."

The study was undertaken because it was evident months ago that the Legislature, in the immediate years ahead, faced a budget-balancing problem of much larger dimensions than generally known and larger than is apparent in any previous budget for a single year.

In commenting on the Foundation's study, Frank J. Zeo, executive vice president, warned:

"The situation calls for orderly fiscal planning and control including the establishment of spending

priorities. It's obvious that the state budget is suffering from "gapitis" in that the State will be spending much more than it will be taking in. The State will be headed for financial trouble only if nothing is done. Fortunately, the Governor recommended and the 1967 Legislature authorized a "special commission" to develop

a master plan and program for taxation," Zeo concluded.

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Nancy Dufton Will Head Rainbow Girls

Miss Nancy Dufton, daughter of Mrs. Daniel P. Crane, 7 Argyle St., will be installed as worthy advisor of Andover Assembly No. 115, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls at installation ceremonies tonight at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple. Phyllis Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Thomas, 5 Hartigan Ct., will be installed as worthy asso-

ciate advisor. The installation will be public by invitation or by credentials only.

Rev. J. Edison Pike, rector of Christ Episcopal Church will be guest speaker.

Other officers to be installed are:

Linda Crotch, charity; Diane Pratt, Hope; Peggy Ann Bove, recorder; Christine Chapman, treasurer; Cathy Urquhart, faith; Susan Norton, chaplain; Barbara Fisk, drill leader; Debbie Beaulieu, love; Donna Poland, religion; Linda Holland, nature; Beverly Moore, immortality; Leslie Holland, fidelity; Marjorie Dill, patriotism; Cynthia Lord, service; Susan McGrath, confidential observer; Paula Eichner, musician; Deborah Allen, choir director; choir; Paula Burrow, Cynthia Cail, Ruth Eichner, Rosemary Elder, Pamela Ellis, Donna Gulazian, Patricia Phillips, Sarah Pingree, Donna Remington, Beth Rozen, Patricia Thompson and Willa Tsepas.

Jane McEwen, American Flag bearer; Wanda Batchelder, state flag bearer; Judith Holland, Christian flag bearer; Beth Batchelder, Rainbow flag bearer; Cheryl Keamy, page in the East; Betsey Hand, page in the West; Candace Hatfield, Junior PWA, big sister; Beth Ann Marjerison, attendance book; Marsha Hall, Judith Holland, Jane McEwen, Beth Rozen, regalia committee; Candace Hatfield, Jr. PWA; Nancy Hall, PWA; Pamela Mitchell, PWA; Nancy Mooney, PWA, racom committee.

The installing suite is as follows: Pamela Mitchell, PWA, grand representative to Puerto Rico, installing officer; Nancy Hall, PWA, installing recorder; Nancy Mooney, PWA, installing chaplain; Candace Hatfield, Jr. PWA, installing marshal; Paula Eichner, installing musician; Deborah Allen, installing soloist; Mrs. Pearl M. Crompton, PMA, Lawrence Assembly No. 15 will install the mother advisor and advisory board.



Mrs. James Gillen

"Sparkling" Style Show Is Scheduled

Andona Society will present a "Sparkling" mid-winter fashion show at Hillview Country Club in North Reading at 8 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 5.

Society members and professional models will show spring clothes from a Lawrence specialty shop. Sparkling burgandy and hors d'oeuvres will be served and door prizes awarded.

Mrs. James Gillen and Mrs. John Boshar are co-chairmen for the event. Assisting them are Mrs. Rudolph Morin, models; Mrs. John Lewis, tickets; Mrs. James Stamas, backstage; Mrs. Frank Reynolds, hostesses; Mrs. Richard Coombes, make-up; Mrs. Leslie Bartow, program; Mrs. Francis Hill, staging; Mrs. John Atanasoff, door prizes; Mrs. William Moulton, finances.

Commentators will be Mrs. John Young and Mrs. James Eaton III. Tickets may be obtained from any members of the Society.

Proceeds from this and other Andona projects are spent for programs beneficial to the youth of Andover.

Newcomers Sponsoring Two Events

The Newcomers Club is sponsoring a shopping spree to Boston on Monday, Jan. 29, and a cosmetic demonstration on Wednesday, Jan. 31.

Buses will leave the Shawsheen Plaza Monday at 9:15 a.m. for the shopping trip. For further information about this event, contact Mrs. Larry Cahill, Mrs. George Morrissey, Mrs. David Simpson or Mrs. Donald Vasconcelos.

The Jan. 31 cosmetics demonstration will be presented by Mrs. Agnes Bresciani, 5 Moraine St., assisted by Mrs. Agnes Toombs. The Newcomers are recommending this program to women who have questions about the correct way of caring for skin, or applying makeup, or wonder what their best colors are.

Reservations are necessary, and babysitting will be provided. Call Mrs. Carmine DiAdamo, 17 Alder Brook Rd.

The artist and the housewife have this in common - though both can arbitrarily call it quits when they want to, neither can ever with certainty say: there is nothing more to be done.

Mignon McLaughlin

Garden Club Will Discuss Forced Bulbs

The monthly Horticulture meeting of the Garden Club Federation of Massachusetts Inc., will stress the continuing culture of bulbs which were planted in the fall for spring forcing. Now is the time to bring them in for bloom in March. All Garden Club members are invited to attend the meeting at Waltham Field Station, Monday, Jan. 29 at 9:30 a.m.

Mrs. Stephen Wheatland of the Chestnut Hill Garden Club will give tips on the daffodils, tulips and minor bulbs and Mrs. Burton H. Rice of the Arlington Garden Club will explain the additional requirements of forcing lily bulbs.

Forced bulbs are eligible to be entered in competition at the New England Spring Flower Show of the Massachusetts Horticultural So-

ciety, March 16 through 24.

Mrs. Donald L. Stevens of the Holliston Garden Club will demonstrate the selection and composition of two window sill plant collections featuring opposite exposures.

"Why the Flower Show?" will be emphasized by Carlton B. Lees, executive director and secretary of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society.

Mrs. Raymond C. Cronin of Wellesley, chairman, will be assisted by Mrs. C. Norman Colard and Mrs. John B. Simcock of Wayland; Mrs. Lyle J. Courage of Wakefield; Mrs. Robert Fraser of Andover and Mrs. William Pease O'Brien of Belmont.

Visits College

Fourteen members of the Andover Junior High School Math League recently visited the computer section at Merrimack College.

Participating were Meredith Moody, James Collins, Jane Kowalik, Julie Gilbert, Robert Barry, David Pagonis, Susan Hopley, Cynthia Troup, Ruthann Adamsky, Raymond Petzold, Robyn Bodenrader, David Halpert, Matthias Kurth and Christopher Maletta.



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Mr. and Mrs. of 183 Lowell St. Golden Annivers family dinner he Parish Church reception for friends during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. in West Andover and both are active in West Church. Mr. He is a charter member of St. Matthew's Church. He is a charter member of St. Matthew's Church. He is a charter member of St. Matthew's Church.

For the past 16 years Superintendent of Grounds and the Parish.

The couple was born on Jan. 5, 1918. E. Victor Biggs, minister of the Andover at that time was the former Sunday school teacher. They have Marilyn, wife of field of Chicago, W. and Barbara, wife of North Andover, grandchildren: E. Chicago, Cynthia, Lewis of Andover. The couple recently

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis

50th Anniversary Observed

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis of 183 Lowell St. celebrated their Golden Anniversary Jan. 7 at a family dinner held in the West Parish Church Vestry and at a reception for friends and neighbors during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis have lived in West Andover for over 40 years and both are active members of the West Church. Mr. Lewis is a member of St. Matthews Lodge AF&AM. He is a charter member of Andover Post #8 American Legion and past Adjutant, and also a 50 year member of Andover Grange P. of H. #183 where he is a pastmaster. For the past 16 years he has been Superintendent of Buildings, Grounds and the Cemetery at West Parish.

The couple was married in Boston on Jan. 5, 1918 by the Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, who was minister of the South Church in Andover at that time. Mrs. Lewis was the former Sarah Cole of Andover. They have three children: Marilyn, wife of Frank Breitenfeld of Chicago, Warren of Andover and Barbara, wife of Vito Melnikas of North Andover. There are four grandchildren: Eric Breitenfeld of Chicago, Cynthia, Diana and Lisa Lewis of Andover.

The couple received many cards,

gifts and a money tree from relatives and friends. Messages of congratulations were received from Germany, Florida, Newfoundland and California.

Family members attending the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Frank Breitenfeld and son Eric, Warren Lewis and daughters Cynthia, Diana and Lisa, Mr. and Mrs. Vito Melnikas, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Cole, Miss Constance Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph K. Cole, Mrs. C. Fred Smith, Mrs. Ellery Metcalf, Miss Marjorie Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton H. Northey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Carleton H. White, Mrs. Alfred Kneath, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Lewis, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peatman.

Miss Schiller On Dean's List

Miss Leslie Schiller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schiller of 15 Rennie Dr., has been named to the first semester dean's list at Colby College where she is a freshman.

The former Andover High School honor student has pledged to Delta Alpha Upsilon social sorority.

Obituaries...

MISS ADA F. HALL

Miss Ada F. Hall, 120 Beacon St., Boston, a former longtime resident of Andover, died Jan. 22 at Phillips House, Massachusetts General Hospital, in Boston. She was 88.

Born in Camden, Maine, Mrs. Hall cooperated a book distributing business in Boston under the name of Campbell Hall. Before that, she had been an employee of the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Co. for many years.

She was a member of South Church. She is survived by a sister, Miss Emily Hall, Glen Cove, Maine; a niece, Mrs. Margaret Stevens of Old Towne, Maine, and several cousins.

Private funeral services will be held today, from the Lundgren Funeral Home, and burial will be in South Church Cemetery, Rev. J. Everett Bodge will officiate.

MRS. MARION SAUNDERS

Mrs. Marion L. (Drayton) Saunders, 453 S. Main St. died Jan. 21. She was 60.

Mrs. Saunders, the widow of Albert Saunders, was a native of Whitman who had lived in Andover for 27 years. She formerly worked for the Admiral Folding Box Co.

Private funeral services will be held today at the Lundgren Funeral Home, 20 Elm St., and burial will be in Spring Grove Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of one's choice.

League School Topic Reported

The 46th School of International Relations sponsored by the League of Voters of Massachusetts will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 31 at Kresge Auditorium, MIT, Cambridge. The subject this year will be "Looking Back to Tomorrow: South America", with emphasis on the people, the economics, and the politics of three representative countries, Brazil, Chile, and Bolivia.

Andover League of Women Voters members who are planning to attend this event are: Mrs. Alfred Kleider, Mrs. Thomas Rees, Mrs. Herschel Sternlieb, Mrs. William Washburn, Mrs. Frederic Pease and Mrs. Steven Oston and Mrs. Lee Von Duyke.

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow is the only American whose bust is in the Westminster Abbey in England.

Magazine Writer Speaking

The ways and means committee of the Lawrence General Hospital Aid Assn. is busy with plans for its spring fund raising event, a champagne-tea which will be held April 10 at 2 p.m. at Andover Country Club.

Charlotte Montgomery, who has contributed a monthly column to Good Housekeeping magazine since 1955, will be the speaker. A Vassar College graduate, Mrs. Montgomery has served as vice president of the Society of Magazine Writers and on the board of advertising Women of New York. She is a frequent speaker before women's clubs and business groups where she expresses "the woman's point of view." She will speak promptly at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Rudolph Billing Jr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Daly are co-chair-

men for this event. The ticket chairman is Mrs. Harold O. Nadler of Argilla Rd. Other members of the ways and means committee are Mrs. Lyman G. Bullard, chairman, and Mrs. Arthur L. Wooten.

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Christ Church Votes Record Budget

At their annual meeting Monday, parishioners of Christ Episcopal Church approved a record budget of \$83,000 and re-elected Harry A. Loebel senior warden.

The parish also voted to Donald G. Thompson family its "Family of the Year" in recognition of a long record of service. During the

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Thompson's period of activity with the church, various members of the family, including the children Robert and Dana, have served as warden, vestryman, chairman of the stewardship committee, vice chairman of the building committee, layreader, choir members, with the altar guild and as choir mother.

In his annual report as rector of the parish, Rev. J. Edison Pike spoke of the continuing growth of the parish and thanked those who helped with the church program during 1967.

He singled out Manfred M. Jones, property chairman, for thanks and the curate, Rev. David E. Allen, who is completing his third and final year with the parish. He also thanked the Thrift Shop for the great contribution it has made to the building fund.

The rector spoke of the deaths of two long time parishioners, Myrtle Southworth and Emma Seacole. He added that Miss Seacole had remembered Christ Church most generously in her will.

Call To Action

In speaking of the future, Mr. Pike spoke of the diocesan "Call to Action", a program to be used in Lent in all churches in the Diocese of Massachusetts. He said, "Through the years this parish is constantly growing not only in numbers but in its spiritual depth and its spiritual influence. We have become one of the very largest and strongest parishes of the Diocese of Massachusetts. We do need to

become more concerned and active in the needs of those who live outside of our town. To fulfill our mission we are obliged to concern ourselves with the needs of Lawrence and Boston, of Roxbury and Vietnam. Our parish cannot hope to be an oasis of isolation, but should be a powerhouse from which to go out with help to the needs of all men everywhere. In this coming Lent, we will be concerned with the Diocesan "Call to Action"; it will be a vital way for us to grow in this dimension of becoming a "Church for others."

Parish officers either elected or continuing in office for 1968 are: wardens, Mr. Loebel, Samuel S. Rogers; Clark, S. Leonard Kent; treasurer, Malcolm J. Ruhl; assistant treasurer, Robert W. Coombs; vestrymen, Richard J. Bowen, Mrs. Charles H. Leigh, John E. Thompson, Edward A. Gordon, Robert P. Kenney, Don M. Larson, Robert L. Gable, Norman E. Hill Jr. and Robin Moseley. Delegates to the Diocesan Convention elected were Mr. Loebel, Samuel S. Rogers, Donald G. Thompson, and the alternates are Louis J. Holtsma, Sydney W. Pollard and Mr. Ruhl. Mrs. Edward A. Gordon and Earl G. Efinger were elected representatives to the Andover Council of Churches and Wallace E. Brimer and William S. Hughes were elected to serve as trustees of Christ Church Cemetery.

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REV. J. EDISON PIKE, Rector

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Free Church

(United Church of Christ)

Rev. J. ALLYN BRADFORD, Pastor

SUNDAY: 10:15 a.m. Worship Service - Sermon title "The Message of Opportunity". Church School; 7 p.m. Senior Pilgrim Fellowship.

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REV. KEITH C. MUNSON

SUNDAY: 9:50 a.m. Choir Warm-Up; 10:30 a.m. School of Religion, Worship and Sermon. Mr. Munson's last sermon as pastor of the Andover Church; 6:30 p.m. Youth Groups meet.

First Methodist Church

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SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Church School with Adult Forum; 10:30 a.m. Morning worship; 5:30 p.m. Youth Colloquium, 47 Peters St.; 7 p.m. Senior M.Y.F., 47 Peters St. Nursery care during morning worship.

St. Augustine's Church

Rev. Kenneth J. Kennedy, O.S.A.

Pastor

SUNDAY: Masses - 6:30, 7:30, 8:45, 10, 11:15, 11:20 (downstairs), 12:30 p.m. Baptisms; 2:30 followed by Blessing of the Mother - by appointment at the Rectory during the previous week.

St. Joseph's Church

(Ballardvale)

SUNDAY: Masses - 9, 10:15 and 11:30 a.m. Confessions heard before Mass.

St. Robert Bellarmine Church

REV. WILLIAM J. FITZGERALD

SUNDAY: Masses - 7, 9, and 11:30 a.m.

Cochran Chapel

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REV. JAMES RAE WHYTE

REV. FREDERIC A. PEASE

SUNDAY: 5 p.m. Timothy C. Callard, religion instructor at Phillips Academy.

Ballardvale United Church

ROBERT BOSSDORF, Minister

SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Church School; 11 a.m. Worship and Nursery; 6 p.m. Junior Youth Fellowship; 7 p.m. Senior Youth Fellowship.

West Parish Church

REV. NORMAN E. DUBIE SR.

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Breakfast Seminar; 10:30 a.m. Morning Service of Worship, Church School (Cradle Roll thru Grade 4); 4 p.m. Membership Conversations. The Youth Conclave which was in session since Friday, the 26, will leave after the close of the morning service.

South Church

(United Church of Christ)

REV. J. EVERETT BODGE

SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Grades 5-8; Confirmation Class; Middle and Senior High Class; Adult Education Class; 10:30 a.m. Crib Room through Grade 4, Family Morning Worship: the Rev. J. Everett

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The program will consist of: Divertimento (Quintet in B flat Major), Michael Haydn; Quartet in C minor, Franz Schubert; Second Suite, Fritz Skorenzy; Quintet in G, Major, Antonin Dvorak.

There will be no charge for admission, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

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Dimes March Sunday

The Mothers' March of the March of Dimes will be held in Andover Sunday with Mrs. Carmine D. Adamo supervising the door-to-door canvassing of precinct workers.

Funds they collect will help support a nationwide network of 100 birth defect centers affiliated with some of the nation's outstanding medical schools and hospitals seeking the answers to birth defect, providing comprehensive care for children, and most important, conducting research programs to find methods of prevention.

In an effort to enlist broad support, Atty. Gerald M. Lewis, chairman for the 1968 March of Dimes in Andover, points out that "At least 18,000 babies with birth defects die in their first year. For many survivors, life will be difficult unless quick corrective action is taken."

Precinct captains and chairmen for the Mothers' March this weekend will be as follows:

Precinct 1, precinct captain, Mrs. Harry Bedell, 123 Chestnut St.; area chairman, Mrs. Barbara Bro, 49 Summer St.

Precinct 2, precinct captain, Mrs. Edmund Connolly, 66 High St.

Precinct 3, precinct captain, Mrs. Henrietta Tafo, 13 Canterbury St.; area chairmen, Mrs. William Foley, 18 Lowell St. and Mrs. Merle Nickell, 5 Iceland Rd.

Precinct 4, precinct captain, Mrs. Carol Brody, 17 Hemlock Ln.; area chairmen, Mrs. Robert Hocknell, 13 Rennie Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Loeb, 26 Strawberry Hill Rd.

Precinct 5, precinct captain, Mrs. Jean Maher, 232 Andover St.

Precinct 6, precinct captain, Mrs. Sylvia Conroy, 82 Holt Rd.; area chairmen, Mrs. Dedi Medici, 13 Pincrest Rd., Mrs. Anne Wiehe, 103 Salem St. and Mrs. Barbara Wescott, 16 Alderbrook Ave.

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Bodge, "Christian Maintenance"; 3 p.m. Junior Pilgrim Fellowship members will meet at the church for tobogganing or indoor recreation if there is no snow. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moody in charge. There will be no meeting of the Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship, since there has been a weekend retreat.

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SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Sunday School; Nursery available; Church Service, Subject of lesson sermon: "Truth".

AHS Student Is "Homemaker"

Because she finished first in a written knowledge and attitude examination for senior girls Dec. 5, Nancy Hall has been named 1968 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for Andover High School.

Miss Hall's achievement has made her eligible for state and national scholarship awards and also has earned her a specially designed silver charm from General Mills, sponsor of the Betty Crocker Search for the American Homemaker of Tomorrow program.

A state Homemaker of Tomorrow and runner-up will be selected from the winners of the schools in the state. The state winner will receive a \$1,500 college scholarship, and her school will be awarded a complete set of the Encyclopedia Britannica by Encyclopedia Britannica Inc. The runner-up will earn a \$500 educational grant.

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Catching Boo-Boos

The Institute for Safer Living suggests a good way to improve your driving performance: After you have finished using your car for the day, take a few minutes to jot down a check list of the driving boo-boos you have made, or almost made. The act of writing down driving errors, especially minor ones, tends to impress them upon a person's mind and thus helps to correct little mistakes that sooner or later may lead to a big accident.

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By virtue of a mortgage contained in a given by WILLIAM REYNOLDS and REYNOLDS, husband and wife, of Essex, Massachusetts, to the Bank, a corporation in Andover, Massachusetts, August 10, 1961, North District of Deeds Book 10, page 10, breach of condition said mortgage purpose of foreclosing and in accordance of Land Court Misc.) will be set on the mortgage Tuesday afternoon 1968, at two o'clock conveyed by said mortgage, a certificate with all the structures now being or placed in Andover, in the and Commonwealth, setts, bounded follows: Being on plan of land in Andover, Massachusetts, Basset by AL Basset", dated and recorded in the Essex Registry No. 3326 and particularly bound as follows: SOUTH of Brown Street a total of two hundred and 06/100 feet lots numbered shown on said plan thirty-four and NORTH-EAST of formerly of Dur and 60/100 feet EASTERLY by on said plan, five four and 61/100 80,370 square and being the conveyed to the Andover Jam Realty deed duly recorded. Said premises subject to all any other mortgages. A deposit of or (\$1,000.) in cash will be required at the time and the balance of the is to be paid with after.

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LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by WILLIAM L. MacREYNOLDS and ELLEN K. MacREYNOLDS, husband and wife, of Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, to the Andover Savings Bank, a corporation established in Andover, Massachusetts, dated August 10, 1961, recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds Book 941, Page 434, for breach of conditions contained in said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, and in accordance with a decree of Land Court (Case No. 52389-Misc.) will be sold at public auction on the mortgaged premises on Tuesday afternoon, February 27, 1968, at two o'clock, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, a certain parcel of land with all the buildings and structures now or hereafter standing or placed thereon, situated in Andover, in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows: Being shown as Lot No. 5 on plan of land entitled "Plan of Land in Andover, Surveyed for D. Bassett by Allen Flye and D. Bassett", dated June 1956, recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 3326 and said lot is more particularly bounded and described as follows: SOUTHWESTERLY by Brown Street in two courses, a total of two hundred eighty-four and 06/100 feet; NORTHERLY by lots numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 as shown on said plan, seven hundred thirty-four and 15/100 feet; NORTHEASTERLY by land now or formerly of Durgarian, sixty-three and 60/100 feet; and SOUTHEASTERLY by Lot No. 6 as shown on said plan, five hundred seventy-four and 61/100 feet. Containing 80,370 square feet more or less; and being the same premises conveyed to the mortgagors by Andover Jem Realty Corporation, by deed duly recorded.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and to any other municipal assessments. A deposit of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.) in cash or certified check will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter.

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK
By RICHARD C. MacGOWAN,
Treasurer, Mortgagee,
Tomlinson & Hatch, Attys.
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Lawrence, Mass. J-25; F-1-8

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 295268
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the trust estates under the will of WALTER C. DONALD late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of MARION DAVIS DONALD under Article Fourth, paragraph (a) of said will; for the benefit of MARION DAVIS DONALD under Article Fourth, paragraph (b) of said will; and for the benefit of DOUGLAS DONALD AND ANOTHER under Article Sixth of said will; and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL of said Commonwealth: The trustees of said estates have presented to said Court for allowance their tenth, eleventh and

twelfth accounts in each of said trusts.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of February 1968, the return day of this citation.
Witness, JOHN A. COSTELLO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of January 1968.
JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
J-18-25; F-1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 247351
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of FLORENCE M. EMERICK late of Andover in said County, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court for Probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by BRUCE B. EMERICK AND CAROL E. STAMPS, both of North Andover in the County of Essex, praying that they be appointed executors thereof, without giving a surety on their bonds.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the nineteenth day of February 1968, the return day of this citation.
Witness, JOHN A. COSTELLO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of January 1968.
JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
J-25; F-1-8

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 295311
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of FLORENCE M. EMERICK late of Andover in said County, deceased.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 295251
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MICHAEL WILLIAM KOPP, STEVEN MICHAEL KOPP and SHAWN MICHAEL KOPP of Andover in said County, minors:
A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that ARTHUR O. SHURTLEFF, JUNIOR of Andover in the County of Essex or some other suitable person, be appointed their guardian.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of April 1968, the return day of this citation.
Witness, JOHN A. COSTELLO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of January 1968.
JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
J-25; F-1-8

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 295237
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ANNE DOERMAN late of Andover in said County, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court praying that CONSTANCE D. HANST of Andover in the County of Essex be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of February 1968, the return day of this citation.
Witness, JOHN A. COSTELLO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of January 1968.
JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
Tomlinson & Hatch, Attys.
101 Amesbury St.
Lawrence, Mass. J-25; F-1-8

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 295237
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ANNE DOERMAN late of Andover in said County, deceased.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 295327
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ROBERT B. CROCKETT, JUNIOR late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for Probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by DOUGLAS R. CROCKETT, named in said will as DOUGLAS CROCKETT of Andover in the County of Essex, praying that he be appointed executor thereof, without giving a surety on his bond.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the nineteenth day of February 1968, the return day of this citation.
Witness, JOHN A. COSTELLO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of January 1968.

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Andover Man In New Post

Charles H. Wesson Jr. of 38 York St., has been named personnel administrator for the district agency field administration division of the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Announcement of the promotion was made by Merrill W. Kidman, vice president.

In his new position, Wesson will administer the personnel program for 1,800 clerical and supervisory employees in 300 district agencies throughout the nation.

A graduate of Merrimack College, Wesson joined John Hancock as an office management trainee in 1957. He served as office supervisor in Lawrence from 1958 to 1962 when he was named cost control and systems administrator at the home office in Boston.

After completion of a computer training program, Wesson was named systems coordinator. His most recent position has been a member of the debit accounting staff.

He is president of the Merrimack College Alumni Assn. and a former vice president and director of the Andover Junior Chamber of Commerce.



Richard F. Barney

Barney Joins Sanders Assoc.

Richard F. Barney of Andover has joined the marketing services department of Sanders Associates Inc. as account manager with responsibilities for advertising and sales promotion of corporate programs.

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Candles - man's source of light for nearly 2000 years - provided a necessity for candleholders, the subject of ANTIQUES with host George Michael and guest George Sherwood of Andover, Sunday, Jan. 28 at 6 p.m. and Thursday, Feb. 1 at 8 p.m. on Channel 11, New Hampshire's educational TV Station.

The program opens with discussion of a brass candlestick dating from 1660 which was turned on a lathe and buffed, made in England and influenced by a Dutch design. Another brass candlestick shown is a 2 ft. tall "banquet lamp" (1580-90). Its shaft was cast in

several pieces, unscrewing at the base and top. Mr. Sherwood points out the fallacy that a good brass candlestick must unscrew. "Many fine ones were cast in one piece," he explains. He adds that a pair of antique candlesticks is worth many times more than single candlestick.

A Spanish candleholder in a horizontal design dating from the 11th or 12th century is displayed. Romanesque in motif, with a crude, chiseled pattern, it has several candle sockets of varying size. A Russian candlestick, cast and finished on a lathe with a hand-worked base is also shown.

In documenting candleholders, most of which are unsigned, Sherwood suggests the study of period paintings and the comparison of brass candlesticks with silver of the same period which was required by law to be marked.

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A squad of Andover High School faculty members will have a go at competition with basketball's internationally famous Harlem Diplomats here on Feb. 2, for the good of the Junior Class. The game is set for 8 p.m. at the high school gym.

William F. Vickers will captain the team and playing with him will be Charles A. Vars, James W. Carroll, John J. Curtin and Richard Swift of the junior high school staff, along with any other members of the faculty who respond to the call.

The Diplomats, who are rapidly becoming world renowned, recently played in Mexico, Jamaica, Nassau, Brazil and Venezuela where they were labelled the "funniest team ever."

The team, which is playing here to help raise funds for the junior prom, features an array of basketball comedians led by Goose Jr. and supported by jumping Charlie Cook and Ed (Dizzy) Parker.

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Three Charged With Larceny

Three men were arrested Friday and charged with larceny and possession of stolen property following their reported attempt to pass stolen checks at the Bay State Merchants National Bank on Main Street.

The three were Theodore Levesque of Salem, 21; Donald M. Bullerwell of Middleton, 21; and Joseph W. Gizicki of Salem, 20.

They were arraigned in Lawrence District Court on Saturday and released on \$1000 bail each.

The cases were continued to Jan. 30.

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22 Seniors In Prep Club

Twenty-two Andover High School seniors were among those from Greater Lawrence attending a 1968 Prep Club recognition banquet at Freedman's Hall in Lawrence Wednesday evening.

Prep Club is a ten-week program sponsored by the Greater Lawrence Chamber of Commerce and aimed at preparing some 400 high school seniors for the world of work.

Andover students participating and their career groupings were: Teaching — Charlyce Bajek, Catherine Williams, Mary Ellen Harmon, Nancy Hickey, Margaret Lynch, Gloria Sciuto, Joan Bracken, Carleen Capobianco, Barbara Young and Kathy LaLonde; Real estate — David Messina and Fred Bradley Jr.; dental service — Janice Stewart, Donna Spinney and Kerry Carter; graphic arts — Edward Becker and Richard Landry; journalism — Sheila Fair.

Hal Goodnough, Goodwill Ambassador for the New York Mets baseball team was guest speaker for the event.

Arnold W. Spofford, Program Coordinator presented awards to the clubs and individual members who made outstanding contributions and Justin T. Horan, Chamber executive vice president gave

words of special recognition, Rabbi Seymour M. Panits of Congregation Sifereth Anshai Sfard & Sons of Israel delivered the invocation and the benediction, Frank O'Donnell, Prep Clubs Facilities Coordinator was toastmaster.

The career interest groups of Prep Club are conducted by group leaders from many Greater Lawrence business and industrial firms. Sponsors for this year were: Bell Telephone Laboratories, Bon Secours Hospital, Central Catholic High School, Craig Systems Inc., Eagle-Tribune Publishing Co., Greater Lawrence Board of Realtors, Greater Lawrence Dental Society, Harrison-Park Corp., Honeywell Inc., Industrial Council, ITT, Semi-Conductors Inc., Jackson Lumber Co., Lawrence General Hospital, Lawrence Rotary Club, Lawrence School System, Marriner & Co. Inc., Mass. Electric Co., Mead Corp., Merrimack Valley National Bank, Methuen School System, North Andover School System, Oxford Paper Co., Quota Club, Raytheon Co., Salem Coca-Cola Bottling Co., J. P. Stevens & Co. Inc., Tripoli Bakery, Tyer Rubber Co., WCCM, Curt Gowdy Broadcasting Corp., H. K. Webster Co., Western Electric Co., Inc., Andover Wilson Co.

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